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CORRECTED AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This communication is submitted in response to the October 31, 2006 Notice of Non-Responsive Amendment. Entry of the following corrected amendment and consideration of the the enclosed corrected remarks are respectfully requested.

Undersigned counsel appreciates the opportunity to address the noted concern. The following sections are enclosed:

- 1. Corrected Remarks; and
- 2. Corrected Amendment to the Claims.

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